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V. And, That all insurrections and disturbances, which might prove CHAP. dangerous to the state, may be timely suppressed, or prevented,

VI. Be it enasted, That the governor and council, as often as such In case of ininsurrections and disturbances shall happen, or they may have good they may call cause to suspect or believe may speedily happen, shall have full power into actual to call into actual service, without regard to classes, such part of the part of the militia as they may judge necessary, for the preventing, quieting, or militia, &c. suppressing, such insurrections or disturbances, and the same may station at such place or places as they may deem proper, and shall cause them to be relieved as often as they shall think necessary, so as that no company or body of militia shall be continued on duty longer than two months in any fuch fervice.

VII. And be it enasted, That whenever any part of the militia shall And provide things necessary be called into actual service, either in this or the aforesaid adjoining ry for their states, the governor and council shall have full power, and they are march, &c. hereby authorised and requested, to provide for, order, and direct, all matters and things necessary for the march and subsistance of such militia, so long as they shall be continued on duty in this state, or if ordered out of this flate, to provide for, order, and direct, all things necessary for the march and subsistance of such militia, to some place of rendezvous, or other place to which they may be ordered to march.

VIII. And be it further enasted, That on all occasions within this Where necessary state, where it is judged necessary for the service of this or the United order guards States, and the urgency of the case will not admit of calling out any of militia, &c. part of the militia in classes, the governor and council shall, and they are hereby authorised and requested to order on duty such guards, companies, or detachments of the militia, as the nature of the service may require, and they are hereby empowered to draw on the treasurer of the western or eastern shore respectively, for such sum or sums of money as may be necessary for defraying the expence of marching and subsisting any part of the militia which shall be ordered on duty, or called in actual service, in virtue of this or any other act, and for such further sum or sums of money as may be necessary to carry into execution the powers with which they are invested by this or any other act.

IX. And be it enacted, by the authority aforesaid, That the governor Provide proviand council shall be, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to procure and provide, on fuch terms, and in fuch manner, as they may think best, proper magazines of provisions and all other necessaries, fit and convenient for the troops of this state, and for any militia that may be called into service, and to procure as many well fixed arms as they may think necessary for the use of this state, and appoint some fit person to keep the same in proper order.

X. And be it further enacted, That the governor and council are And import hereby authorised and requested to import, or cause to be imported, stores, &c. into this state, such military stores and other necessary stores as they may judge proper, and to make such exports of the produce of this or any other of the United States, as may be sufficient for that purpose, and shall and may appoint a proper person, under their controul, to

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